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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Peter D. Mueller et al.

Appln. No.: 10/749,942

Examiner: TBA

Filed: December 31, 2003

Art Unit: 2661

For: METHOD FOR SUPPORTING MULTIPLE
DEVICES ON A HIGH SPEED PHYSICAL
LINK

Attorney Docket No: MP1434

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Respectfully submitted,

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop – Amendment
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please enter the following preliminary amendment in the subject application.

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